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Mail Stop Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

This Amendment B is in response to the Office Action mailed 04/14/2004, which was changed to Non-Final on 06/10/2004 per agreement in a telephone interview on 04/28/2004. This Amendment B is further in response to an Advisory Action mailed 07/06/2004, which rejected applicant's previous reply.

Please amend the above application as follows:

Specification:

In order to resolve the "new matter" issue, cancel the following specification changes introduced in applicant's reply to the first Office Action: page 7, line 10; page 7, line 17; page 8, after line 3; and page 12, after line 17. No claim depends on any of these changes.



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Dear Sir:

I sent Amendment B by First Class Mail on 07/14/2004, including a Certificate of Mailing in compliance with 37 C.F.R. 1.8. According to the US PTO Internet Portal (PAIR), it has not yet been received. I am therefore enclosing a second copy, sent by Express Mail.

I hereby attest that the enclosed printed pages are identical to the printed pages that I sent on 07/14/2004. (The handwriting of the date and signature may vary slightly, as it is a second original rather than a machine photocopy.) I personally weighed the envelope and affixed sufficient postage. I further attest that I personally mailed the original Amendment B by depositing the envelope in a Post Office box in front of the Post Office located on 45 Alpine Ln in Chelmsford, MA, prior to closing time. Upon returning home, I made a note on my computer that this Post Office branch is open until 5:30 pm. Later that evening, I FAXed a note to the examiner indicating that the Amendment had been mailed. (This item is listed in PAIR as "Miscellaneous Incoming Letter" dated 07-14-2004.)

Very respectfully

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